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El Cajon Branch Library

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May 2011

CHILDREN

Check-Out Challenge. Check out 5 children's books and bring your receipt to the children's service desk to receive a raffle ticket to win a fabulous prize!

Tuesday Tales. Storytime for children of all ages.
Tuesdays, 10:30 AM

Toddler Storytime. *Wednesdays, 9:45 AM*

Preschool Storytime. *Wednesdays, 10:30 AM*

Bilingual Storytime (Spanish/English). No prior Spanish knowledge necessary. Songs, stories and more! *Mondays, 4 PM* No storytime on May 30.

Students for Students Homework Center. High school students are standing by to help kids Grade K-6 with their homework. *Mondays & Wednesdays, 4-6 PM Homework Center ends for the season May 25.*

Words Alive! Family Storytime. Community volunteers engage young children in reading. Attend three storytimes and get a free book! *Wednesdays, 4 PM*

Story Crafternoon. After-school story and craft time for kids of all ages. *Thursdays, 4 PM and Saturdays, 1 PM*

Tween Art & Books (Ages 8-12). This month we're reading *The Boxcar Children* by Gertrude Chandler Warner. *2nd Tuesday, May 10, 4:30 PM*

WFamily Fun Day at Westfield Parkway Mall. Enjoy a storytime from the El Cajon Library along with a fun craft, healthy snacks and more! For more information, call 619-579-9974. *1st and 3rd Friday, May 6 & 20, 1 PM*

TEENS

High School Math Tutoring. By appointment only. A college math major is available for help in Algebra, Algebra II, Geometry, Trigonometry, Pre-Calc and Statistics. Contact Miko for more information.

Teen Books and Brownies. Eat brownies and talk about books with other teens who like to read! This month we're reading *The Boy in the Striped Pajamas* by John Boyne. *Tuesday, May 3, 4:30 PM*

Action Teen Advisory Council. If you're a teen, age 14 - 17, who'd like to help out at the library, please stop by one of our ATAC meetings! *Tuesday, May 17, 4:30 PM*

Anime Club. *Tuesdays, 6 PM*

Dungeons and Dragons Club. *Thursdays, 5 PM*

FAMILIES

Parenting Class. These classes will help you to understand and work with your child's challenging behaviors (tantrums, aggressions, etc.). Classes are in English. For more information, contact Berenice Salas at 619-827-1991 ext. 242. *Wednesdays, May 18 & 25, 5 PM*

ADULTS

Gateway Computer Classes. Taught in Arabic. Beginning and intermediate classes. Call Safa at 619-469-2151 to register or for more information. *Tuesdays-Fridays, 8 AM*

Friends of the Library Meeting. *1st Monday, May 2, 4 PM*

English Conversation Café. Practice your English language skills and enjoy the company of friends in casual conversation. Please arrive on time. *Mondays & Wednesdays, 11:30-12:30* No café on May 30.

El Cajon Library Reading Group. In May we'll discuss authors Gail Godwin (May 3) and le thi diem thuy (May 17). *1st and 3rd Tuesdays, May 3 & 17, 10:30 AM*

Grupo de Lectura Cervantino. Spanish reading group. *2nd & 4th Wednesdays, May 11 & 25, 3:30 PM*

ESL Classes. Call Grossmont Adult School 619-401-9750 for information and to register.

Laughter Yoga. Experience the healing power of laughter! *Thursdays, 3 PM*

Fine-Free Friday. Return your overdue material on Friday, May 27, and no fines will be charged for those items. Please note that Fine-Free Friday does not include material borrowed from other library systems (Link+, Circuit, and Inter-Library Loan materials).

Older Americans Month – Senior Dominos. Play and meet new friends. *Fridays, 2 PM*

Mystery Book Club. May's author is Robert Parker. *Thursday, May 26, 2 PM*

Acoustic Showcase Concert – Peggy Watson. Acclaimed singer-songwriter Watson will perform as part of SDCL's Acoustic Showcase concert series. *Sunday, May 8, 2 PM*

Older Americans Month – Gentle Yoga. Expect breathing exercises, gentle stretching, relaxation and fun. All levels are welcome. Don't worry if you think you are not in good enough shape to do Yoga – if you wish, you can do the whole class sitting in a chair. Remember, there is no competition in Yoga. Practicing what you can do is the perfect Yoga for you. *Wednesdays, 2 PM*

Older Americans Month – Computer Classes for the Senior Set. Free computer class will cover basic computer and Internet use. Call the library to sign-up. *Mondays, May 16 & 23, 8:30 AM*

Memorial Day Holiday Closure. All San Diego County Library branches will be closed Monday, May 30 in observance of Memorial Day.

Your library offers hundreds of free events and classes.

Find them at www.sdcl.org



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29	30	31	<div><div>L.E.A.R.N. Center Libraries Empower All To Read Now Adult Literacy Program 888.466.0668 learnstaff@sdcounty.ca.gov</div><div>Friends of the Library Bookstore Hours Mon & Tues: closed Wed: 10-5 Thurs: 12-6, Fri: 10-4 Sat: 10-4, Sun: 1-4</div></div>			
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